

BROOKLYN NEWS.

LAWYER DOCK IN THE DOCK. COHEN HIS OWN DETECTIVE.

He Disguised Himself to Search for Illegal Registration.

His Pipe Factory Has Been Systematically Robbed.

Was Pointed Out, Arrested and Charged with Intoxication.

He Charges Henry Wise with Receiving the Stolen Goods.

Robert H. Dock, a lawyer, of 67 Layling street, Brooklyn, was fined \$5 by Justice Tighe in the Butler Street Police Court, Brooklyn, this morning for intoxication.

When arraigned Dock was dressed in a very ragged suit of clothes, blue flannel shirt, a dilapidated hat and old shoes. He had all the appearance of a tramp.

He told Justice Tighe that he was a member of the American Legion of Honor.

He said he had disguised himself as a tramp in order to investigate colonization and fraudulent registration by Drunkenness.

He further said that while he pleaded guilty to the charge of intoxication he was innocent, and made the best order to get out of the service as easily as possible.

Last night, he said, he went to the apartment house in Atlantic avenue, near Furman street, where he was to investigate some alleged fraudulent registration.

Recently Mr. Cohen ascertained through some bank officials that Henry Wise, who lived a quiet life in a modest apartment in the Bronx, was a man of good many checks.

The strange part of it was that all of those checks were drawn on him.

Mr. Cohen went to work on it.

When taken before Sergeant Walsh at the station house he disclosed his identity.

Col. Francis Bacon, of the Kings County Campaign Committee, paid Dock's fine and he was released.

CHASE IN A GROCER'S WAGON.

Foileman Impressed a Vehicle and Ran Down Two Thieves.

Two young men, George Frey and Thomas McHale, who live in the upper section of Williamsburg, were held in the Lee Avenue Court to-day on charges of grand larceny.

Yesterday afternoon the couple stole a horse and carriage, valued at \$250, from David Bernstein, of 190 South Ninth street.

A general alarm was sent out, and last night they were traced down to the men in their wagon driving slowly along Grand street.

The policemen called upon them to stop, and when they drove down Grand street at a reckless pace, Kissel impressed a passing grocer's wagon and ran over two of them.

He followed the rig through various streets, and finally corralled the men in Waldorf Market.

Frey and McHale showed fight, but Kissel, who is a muscular fellow, quickly subdued them, and after he had bound them with ropes he took them to the Bedford Avenue station in the grocery wagon.

GLEASON IS FOR A FIGHT.

If He Can't Be a Senator He Would Be an Assemblyman.

LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., Oct. 31.—Ex-Mayor P. J. Gleason has caused considerable surprise and not a little amusement by announcing his intention of pronouncing himself as a candidate for Assembly in the Long Island City district.

Some time ago Gleason was nominated by the Tammany Hall Anti-Monopolists, for Senator in the district comprising Queens and Suffolk counties, but he had not been allowed to run, refused to recognize him as a candidate on the ground that his party had not been organized and ordered to leave.

The Tammany Hall leaders said that he had filed his certificate as a candidate for both Senator and Assembly.

They also said that he would withdraw from the Senatorial fight and continue his battle to Long Island City, his old stamping ground.

PABYLON VOTING ON INCORPORATION.

ALBANY, L. I., Oct. 31.—The election of this place is to-day voting on the question of incorporating Babylon as a village. Babylon now has a population of 1,000, and the proposed incorporation the ordinary expense of the village for the first year would cost \$69.

DARING STREET-CAR ROBBERY.

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John Fitzgerald, eighteen years old, of 41 Leroy street, was held in the Jefferson Market Court to-day for a daring robbery committed on a West street streetcar at 8 o'clock last night.

Capt. William Fowler, who formerly conducted the Knickerbocker Cottages at Sixth avenue and Twenty-eighth street, was riding in the car. When Capt. Leroy street Fitzgerald and a companion got aboard.

The passenger was in the front end of the car. Fitzgerald suddenly pulled out a revolver, pointed it back and grabbed his watch and chain. Then passed it to his companion, both jumped from the car.

The man with the watch got away, but Fitzgerald was arrested in Leroy street by Policeman Neder.

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BEEFMALT.

Health and Strength in Beefmalt.

Beefmalt will make you healthy, hearty and happy, and will keep you so.

There is more vigor in one bottle of Beefmalt than in a storeful of patent medicines.

Beefmalt wins flesh and color by a gain in the quality and quantity of the blood. It is convertible into blood with the smallest expenditure of energy.

As a preparation he gave the name of William Waters, aged twenty-three, of 128 Eldridge street. He was held for trial in the Jefferson Market Court to-day.

Assistant Clerk O'Brien Dead.

Richard A. O'Brien, assistant clerk in the County Clerk's office, died this morning, his residence, 421 East Twenty-third street, Brooklyn.

JOHN BULL IS VERY UNEASY.

The Franco-Russian Alliance Regarded with Suspicion.

German Newspaper's Significant Remarks on the Subject.

IRLINGTON, Oct. 31.—There is no denying the fact that considerable uneasiness exists in Europe at the present situation of the powers, and this uneasiness is increasing on the nature of the Franco-Russian alliance becomes known.

The Hamburzer Nachrichten in an article which the best informed people assert is at least instigated by Prince Bismarck, accounts for the Russian reply to French advances on the ground that Russia was driven into the arms of France by growing suspicion of Germany's intimacy with England.

Continuing the Hamburzer Nachrichten says: "The French are not to be expected to prove that Wise, who has acted as drummer for a number of interests here, is connected with a gang of exiles that would be exercised in defense of Bismarck's anti-Russian policy." Russia's resentment is immediately aroused.

The Hamburzer Nachrichten also makes the assertion that a secret treaty exists between Russia and Italy, by which the former agrees to mediate in Italy's favor in Paris under certain circumstances.

A striking indication of the present state of uneasiness in Europe is shown by a notable article just printed in the Times of London, describing the great French armada at Toulon and the French Mediterranean fleet. This article, which is attracting considerable attention here and elsewhere, is written by the Times naval correspondent, who is a recognized authority in the United Kingdom.

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Old Flagman Killed.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Oct. 31.—John Devlin, 60 years of age, who has been in the employ of the New York and Long Branch Railroad for many years, was slain on the crossing of State street, Union city, last evening.

He was shot in the head and instantly killed. He leaves a widow and four children.

CARRIETTES KILLED.

John O'Neill, son of P. H. O'Neill, City Collector, and clerk in his father's office, died this morning at his father's residence, in Wayne street, Jersey City, from the effects of cigarette smoking.

The body was found in his room, which was scarcely married about a year ago and leaves a widow and an infant.

NO LAW FOR ALIEN COMPANIES.

Without a Charter They Cannot Prosecute in Tennessee.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 31.—Miss Martha Clancy, who for several years has been agent for the Wilcox & Gibbs Sewing Machine Company, is on trial charged with embezzeling the funds of the Company. Yesterday it was discovered that the charter of the Company had not been filed with the Secretary of State, registered in this county, and therefore it had no legal existence in Tennessee.

The Attorney-General desired to note the name of the company and the defendant's name on the trial record, but the trial is had a verdict of acquittal must follow under the law.

The Supreme Court in the Carey-Lombard case, this means that foreign corporations that have not complied with the requirements of the law will be liable to no action against them for taking unfair advantage of their position.

The two made their escape over the roof.

The fire began in the basement of the same house which had been broken into the night before. The fire Marshal will be asked to make an investigation.

FLED IN THEIR NIGHT ROBES.

Lodgers Over a Restaurant Had Narrow Escapes at a Fire.

Katherine Nikinska until this morning kept a restaurant in the basement of 197 East Second street. She had several boarders and two big dogs named Lady and Nero. The boarders slept upstairs over the restaurant and the dogs were let loose in the basement at night.

Mrs. Nikinska went to the theatre last night with one of her servants. During her absence the fire broke out in the restaurant, and it was extinguished before midnight.

The McReady, Ephrington and Talor families lost about \$200 each and the families were shocked.

There is a suspicion that the fire was of incendiary origin. Palme, the colored man, said that many of the white people in the neighborhood had been making trouble against the owner for taking unfair advantage of their position.

The McReady family had been living in the building since the vacant room above closed.

There were some men in the room above who were smoking and talking when the fire started. Nero managed to escape somehow and turned back to the burning building to see if she could help extinguish the flames.

The fire caused \$60 damage.

Mrs. Nikinska didn't return home until it was all over. She is insured.

GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB.

Incorporated at Albany to Purify New York City Politics.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 31.—The "Good Government Club" in the City of New York has been incorporated for the purpose of promoting social intercourse among persons specially interested in the good government of the city of New York.

It is to assist in securing honesty and efficiency in the administration of city affairs, in severing municipal from National politics and in procuring the election of fit persons to city offices.

Local meetings are to be closed by the authority on account of the gambling done in the houses.

The Project of Policy, as a result of complaints that have been made, has resolved to suppress gambling as far as possible or to supersede it in areas where it is impossible to stop it entirely.

Commissaries will be appointed to perform duty like that done at Monte Carlo, namely to players will be forbidden, and play will be limited to certain fixed hours.

The trustees are: George H. Baker, Carmichael, Eugene H. Porter, John C. Myatt, Walter Allen, J. J. Law, T. McNamee Peters, Arthur C. Ely, Charles D. Owen, Theodore L. Hanmer, John F. Powers, Henry B. Elliott, Harry Kunkhardt, James Aspinwall, John K. Wornock and Walter Stabler.

As a result there appeared in the Knickerbocker Court this morning Landlord Whitaker, of the Imperial Hotel and Hotel Carlyle, branch of the latter, and David and David H. King of the Hotel Binghamton, 16 West Forty-third street. Mr. Whitaker said that men were at the hotel who had been trying to stop the gambling.

He was shown to be well equipped according to law.

It was shown that the Madison Avenue hotel was fully equipped, so that complaint was dropped.

Mr. King declared his house did not come up to the provisions of the law.

The case was continued to Friday, at which time Mr. Whitaker will be required to show that he has carried out his intentions regarding the Imperial and San Carlo.

SUMMER RESIDENCE BURNED.

William Bell's Home at Jamaica Destroyed.

JAMAICA, L. I., Oct. 31.—At 2 o'clock this morning the handsome summer residence of William Bell, of New York, was burned to the ground, causing a loss of about \$10,000.

Several men were injured on each side and five strikers were arrested.

Early this morning, from the way my head feels, I think I must have been drunk.

STRIKERS FIGHT GENDARMES.

A Spectator Killed by a Stray Shot from a Revolver.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—Five hundred of the Paris Calais strikers met in a hall at Buthiers today to organize a system of working and to keep the strikers from working.

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